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U.S. Department of Energy  
ATTN: Ms. Carol Hanlon  
Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Office  
P.O. Box 30307  
North Las Vegas, Nevada 89036-0307

Dear Ms. Hanlon:

The United States Section, International Boundary and Water Commission, has reviewed the information in the reports titled "Yucca Mountain Preliminary Site Suitability Evaluation" and the "Yucca Mountain Science and Engineering Report DOE/RW-0539," and has no comments. Thank you for the opportunity to participate in your public review comment processes published in the Federal Register on May 7, 2001, August 21, 2001, and September 13, 2001.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Steve Fox at (915) 832-4736.

Sincerely,

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